Changes to Career Paths in Science and Engineering

After its publication on June 1, 2023, a number of changes were made to the websites of Career Paths in Science and Engineering. In this document, we keep track of the changes. Corrections of typing mistakes or grammatical errors are not included in the document. The changes are displayed in the order in which they were made.

To transition scheme

 Two items were added to clarify what would happen with Assistant Professors and Associate Professors who choose *not* to transition to Career Paths in Science and Engineering. This change was made on June 29, 2023.

To promotion criteria for Associate Professor 1 (research focus)

- We clarified that the quantitative funding criterion can be diverged from under certain conditions. This change was made on June 29, 2023.

To promotion criteria for Associate Professor 2 (education focus)

- A copy-paste error has been corrected: the page with the *research* criteria for promotion to Associate Professor 2 accidentally displayed the same criteria as those for promotion to Assistant Professor 1. This has been corrected on October 30, 2023.

To portfolio

- The instruction regarding the CV was changed. Instead of an elaborate CV, we now ask for a CV of approximately two pages. It no longer needs to include a teaching and a research statement; the information that would normally be put in these statements is also provided via the self-evaluation, and wish to avoid candidates having to provide the same information twice. This change was made on November 20, 2023.
- It was clarified that a candidate for promotion to Associate Professor 2 who wishes to be granted the *ius promovendi* should indicate so in their cover letter, and demonstrate meeting the criteria by means of their self-evaluation.

To composition of BC1 and BC2

This website used to state that for each assessment two expert members will be invited. At the request of the BC this has been changed in "one or two" expert members', because it is believed that in many cases one expert member may be sufficient. The decision about the expert members is made by the BC chair in consultation with the scientific director of the candidate's institute. This change was made on November 20, 2023.